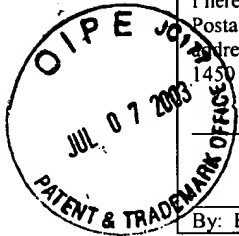


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In re the application of)
CARTER, George E. et al.)
Application No.: 09/850,040)
Filed: May 7, 2001)
For: ENHANCEMENT OF SOUND QUALITY)
FOR COMPUTER TELEPHONY SYSTEMS)

Examiner: SINGH, Ramnandan
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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 25, 2003, please amend the application as follows.

In the Claims

Please amend claim 27 as follows:

1. (original) A computer implemented method of enhancing sound quality for computer telephony systems, comprising:
- receiving digital signals including telephony sounds;
 - performing time-to-frequency domain conversion on the digital signals;
 - detecting whether noise is present in the frequency domain conversion of the digital signals; and
 - applying a filter to remove the noise if noise was detected in the frequency domain conversion of the digital signals.

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